



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Application of:  
Robert C. Frame

Serial No.: 09/096,684

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For: PORTABLE COMPUTER SYSTEM

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**REPLY AND AMENDMENT**

In response to the Official Action mailed on February 7, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please amend claims 1-6, 8, 10, 11, 13, 17, 21, 28, 30, and 36:

1 (Twice Amended). A portable computer system, comprising:

a portable base computer comprising:

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